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Sir:

SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION  
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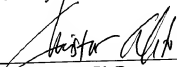
1. ☒ This replies to the Office Action mailed from the Patent Office on July 6, 1998.
2. Submitted herewith is/are
  - A. ☒ a substitute Specification, excluding the claims, drawings and sequence listing, reflecting the amendments, now entered, presented in the previous Amendment and Response filed April 27, 1998 for this application; pagination in the substitute Specification does not directly correspond with pagination in the specification as originally filed;
  - B. ☒ a marked-up copy of the substitute Specification showing the matter being added to and the matter being deleted from the specification of record.

STATEMENT

3. I hereby state that:

☒ the substitute Specification includes no new matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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